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Bristol Bay Area Health Corporation is representing 34

Alaska State Department of Transportation and Public Utilities a tribal organization Juneau, Alaska 998 11

villages in Southwest Alaska

Dear Mr. Ottesen:

Aleknagik Chignik Bay

Chignik Lagoon

Chignik Lake

Clark's Point Dillingham

> Egegik Ekuk

Ekwok

Goodnews Bay

lgiugig Iliamna

Ivanof Bay

Kanatak

King Salmon

Kokhanok Koliganek

Levelock

Manokotak

Naknek

New Stuvahok

Newhalen

Nondalton

Olsonville Pedro Bay Perryville

Pilot Point Platinum

Port Heiden Portage Creek

South Naknek Togiak Twin Hills Ugashik

At our last annual meeting the Chignik Lagoon village representative requested that

our Board a support letter for the construction of an inter-tie road for the three

Chigniks. We agree that such a development would be beneficial for those villages.

By interconnecting the three Chigniks it would allow each to access a new larger subregional hub airport to better accommodate their fishing and economy of the area. It would make it easier for a medivac plane to get in/out of that area and all services would benefit.

We hope strong consideration is given to improving the Chigniks transportation

needs.

Sincerely,

RJC/etb

Robæntt J. Clark

President/Chief Executive Offrcer

**BBAHC** Board of Directors

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To promote health with competence, a caving attitude & cultural sensitivity